

THE AVALANCHE.

PALMER, Editor and Proprietor

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THURSDAY, Nov. 22, 1883.

LOCAL ITEMS.

READER, a cross marked after your name on this paper, signifies that the time for which you have paid has expired, and we need some money now.

A choice lot of candy at Edgcomb's. Tax receipts at the AVALANCHE office.

Holiday goods are arriving at Masters in immense quantities.

E. T. Buck has moved to Gratiot county for the winter.

J. W. Jordan is now domiciled in the Thos. Woodfield house.

Edgcomb's sells the best tea and coffee in town.

Second edition of Peek's Bad Boy for sale at C. E. Strunk's News Depot, 25c 50 cents.

"It never rains, but it pours." Dr. Davis' colt has followed his two horses to the happy hereafter.

Mrs. Edith Jordan returned to the city Tuesday evening, from her visit to the south part of the State.

Dunlap & Hovey, Fenton, say: "We do not hesitate to recommend Brown's Iron Bitters."

Ladies, look at those Dress Patterns at Edgcomb's.

December No. of Harper's Magazine and Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly just received at the News Depot.

The soft weather has dropped the price of venison.

The finest line of holiday goods north of Bay City will be at Masters.

MARRIED.—In this city, on Saturday evening, Nov. 17, 1883, by J. K. Bates, J. P.; Mr. John Cowell and Miss Mattie Elsbree, both of Grayling.

Watch the next paper for a partial list of holiday goods at Masters.

John Cowell has raised his house one story and is making of it a neat cottage. The carpenter work is being done under the supervision of "Del." Swader.

Horse blankets, bed blankets, and comfortable at Edgcomb's.

The remodeling of the office in Salling, Hanson & Co.'s store will add greatly both to its appearance and convenience.

The township board have awarded the contract of repairing the town hall to Kilborn & Powers.

Everybody is invited to call and examine the holiday stock at Masters.

Mr. E. Alger came into the city yesterday with a big load of venison and returned to camp to-day with a load of supplies.

Ladies, misses, children, and gents, arrive at Edgcomb's.

The first window blinds in the city hung last week by R. P. Forbes on his new residence.

Jos. Blair, Ludington, says: I can recommend Brown's Iron Bitters as a good tonic and strengthener.

Masters is preparing for the holiday trade by putting in the finest stock ever shown in the city.

A. D. Colestock and H. G. Wiley, former residents of this country, who migrated to Maryland in search of a more genial climate, have returned, glad to get back to "My Michigan," and especially to Crawford county.

Edgcomb's is the only place in town where you can buy the Broadhead Dress Goods.

Quite an excitement was had in the village on Tuesday evening over the continuous blowing of the mill whistle. Thoughts of fire, murder, thieves, war and all other calamities rushed through the minds of our citizens. But inquiry proved it to be rounded to give direction to a couple gentlemen who were supposed to be lost in the woods, but who were quietly winding their way home from a hunt.

Masters will have something to meet the wants of everybody for the holiday trade.

DEATH IN THE BLOOD.—Yes, it is in the blood that the seeds of disease and death are engendered. Attack them there with that mightiest of all detergents, Johnson's Sarsaparilla, and you are safe. No matter what the complaint, whether scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum, liver diseases, it is through the blood and the blood alone that the exciting cause can be reached. This great anti-poison neutralizes the acid matter in the veins from which the most terrible disorders spring, and by which they are fed and aggravated. It strikes at the hybrid root in the venous system, and exterminates it as surely and safely as Hercules destroyed the Lacedaemonian serpent, of which mortal discolors are the antitype. Dear this to all who suffer.

Ladies can save money by buying their dresses at Edgcomb's.

W. A. Masters saw a wolf near school section lake last Tuesday.

Wm. Brink has the pleasure of entertaining his father, Mr. J. P. Brink, of Warren county, N. J.

Mrs. W. A. Masters has the pleasure of entertaining her sister, Mrs. A. Hueston, from Hillsdale county, who, with her husband, is visiting our city for the first time.

E. Fogg and A. Storms, of Jonesville, have been hunting down the river for a couple of weeks and came in Monday with their deer, which they were weighing for shipment, leaving their rifles meanwhile leaning against the side of the depot. A drunken fellow quietly appropriated Fogg's gun and hid it in the R. R. Co.'s wood pile. Several saw the theft and informed the owner, who proposed to make it somewhat "Foggy" for the thief if it was not returned. Sheriff Ham found the gun. As the fellow was too drunk to know where he had left it and the gentlemen were ready to leave town, no formal complaint was made. This is the first theft known here this year and nearly the first drunken man on the streets, and we hope the scene will not be repeated.

NOTICE.

All persons removing from or cutting any timber or wood on the s. e. q. of the n. w. q. and s. h. of n. e. q. sec. 7, a part of and adjoining the village, will be prosecuted.

J. O. BARTON.

APPOINTMENT OF TERMS IN THE 23d JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, FOR 1884-5.

In the county of Iosco, on the first Tuesdays of February, and second Tuesdays of May and October.

In the county of Alcona, on the third Tuesday of February, and the last Tuesday of June and September.

In the county of Crawford, third Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of June, and fourth Tuesday of September.

In the county of Ogemaw, on Thursday next after the fourth Tuesday of February, and first Friday after the second Tuesday of June.

J. B. TUTTLE, Circuit Judge.

Items clipped from Ward's Injuncted Pioneer.

Dr. Revell, supervisor and school examiner, is teaching school in his own district this winter. He also doctors some.

Edgcomb's commenced a 4-months' term as teacher in Grove township, Crawford county, ten miles from his home, on Monday.

Oh! had we the wings of a little chicken, Or could we stand in borrowed shoes, We never then would fear a kicking. Nor give the public ancient news. (Dedicated to Zahra's Ancient Pioneer.)

Several new lumber camps are being started in South Branch township, and we understand Mr. W. Vandusen will be among the number.

Ben. Gifford has made quite a start on his place down near the river in South Branch township, having a large spot cleared, a house erected, and all his hand enclosed with a good fence. Next year he intends to make quite a show in farming. He is a pusher.

GRAND DANCE.

On Thanksgiving evening (one week from to-night) a grand dance will be given at the opera house by two of Grayling's young and enterprising citizens—Messrs. Chas. Saunders and W. Mitchell. They will spare no pains to make this one of the most pleasant hops that ever occurred in Grayling, as they do not believe in doing things by halves. Supper will be served at the Grayling House in Messrs. Wild & Wheeler's pleasing manner. Bill for dance and supper, \$2; tickets for dance (without supper) \$1. It is to be hoped the dance will be well patronized, as the young gentlemen are to a big expense and a grand good time is assured.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MARRIAGE.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 21.—Patrick William O'Brien, the Irish giant, and Christiana D. Duz, the German giantess, were married in this city to-day. The ceremony was performed in the German Evangelical church, on Smithfield street, by the Rev. Frederick Knoff, and was witnessed by an immense concourse of people, including Mayor Lyon and the council of Pittsburgh, Mayor Peterson of Allegheny, Judge White, John McCullough, Margaret Mathie, Ades, dwards, Indiana, and a snake charmer. Outside the church the crowd gathered in such numbers as to obstruct traffic, in spite of the efforts of a large force of police. Mr. O'Brien wore a full dress suit, a medal presented to him by the hand-bred commented his brow. The bride wore a long, blue, and white dress, and a veil that covered a superb display of white teeth. Her husband held a bouquet of carnations. After the service the bridal party drove at once to Harris' mansion and held a public reception. This evening a grand reception was given at Hamilton's hotel. The wedding cake, the largest ever baked, measuring nine feet in circumference and three feet in thickness, a giant loaf of bread five feet in length, and a cake of butter five feet in length, was the first of the feast. This was the first marriage of giants in America and the second in the world. The combined height of the bride and groom was 6 feet 3 inches, and they tip the beam at 345 pounds. The wedding ring weighed 17 pennyweights and was set with a diamond.

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The AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT is under the charge of an experienced and practical agriculturist, and is available to all tillers of the soil in Michigan, all its articles being expressly prepared for them, and especially adapted to their wants. In short, no effort or expense will be spared in making The Post and Tribune the most attractive and most complete family newspaper ever published in Michigan.

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THE PRESIDENTIAL YEAR OF 1884

Is at hand. Republicans must bestir themselves if their political supremacy is to be maintained in the State and Nation. There is no such certain course of securing sound Republican doctrine and convincing men that duty and interest combine in urging them to support the Republican party and its candidates as the wide circulation of

A GOOD REPUBLICAN NEWS-PAPER.

For this reason we urge our friends everywhere to see that the Weekly Post and Tribune has the largest possible number of new subscribers. Its circulation ought to be up to 100,000, and can reach that figure if the proper effort is put forth. That such an increase would help powerfully to give the Republicans of Michigan an assured and glorious victory in this State and Year is a fact to be remembered.

We confidently appeal to every good citizen, to every earnest Republican, to aid us in this good work. It will pay. Nothing shall be lacking on our part to make The Post and Tribune worthy of the confidence of every citizen of Michigan, whose present interests are ours and whose future we expect to share.

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Boots and Shoes, Dry Goods, Gloves and Mittens, Groceries, Etc.,

You will say that I need not FEAR COMPETITION. And Ladies will say that they Saved Money by Paying their

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in town. Please give me a trial and be convinced.

YOURS RESPECTFULLY,

Jos. H. Edgcomb.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office of East Branch, Nov. 18, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his claim, and make final proof in support of the same, to-wit: John C. Wadsworth, of Crawford county, Michigan, claiming a section of land in the township of North Branch, range 12, north of 36th parallel, west of 10th meridian, in the 35th township of Crawford county, Michigan, under the act of March 3, 1879, for a homestead.

He claims the following section or sections, to-wit: Section 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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THURSDAY, Nov. 29, 1893.

LOCAL ITEMS.

READER, a cross marked after your name on this paper, signifies that the time for which you have paid has expired, and we need some money now.

Thanksgiving Day.

Remember the dance this evening. Ye lovers of "Saur Kraut" can get it at Finn's.

A fine line of wall paper and border at Masters.

Great reduction in prices on everything at Finn's.

Thanksgiving service at the M. E. church at 10:30 this morning.

A splendid molasses for only 40 cents per gallon at Finn's.

The finest line of ladies' shoes in Northern Michigan at J. M. Finn's.

Lumbermen's Mackinaws and underclothing, an endless variety, at Finn's.

All kinds of toys for the children—from a rattle box to a rocking horse at Masters.

The ladies will find at Masters' something to suit their taste—Jewelry and Stationery cases.

That 60-cent tea at Finn's "takes the cake." Try it once and you will use no other.

The finest line of ladies' shopping bags ever shown to the public, at Masters.

Every farmer in the county should take advantage of our offer and secure the American Farmer free for a year.

New goods, low prices, honest weights, fair dealings, and big drives in everything, at J. M. Finn's.

The finest line of holiday goods ever shown here at Masters'. Something for the young and the old.

Our Thanksgiving turkey came from the farm of A. Lovesey. It is a "whopper," and we give thanks accordingly.

Station-agent Messley has gone to his Ash Arbor home for Thanksgiving. Mr. H. Starkweather caring for his business while he is gone.

B. B. Miles, of Beaver Creek township, has moved into the city for the winter to give his daughter the benefit of our excellent school.

Frank Owen, of Maple Forest township, has moved into the city for the winter. He resides in the west part of Mr. Harder's house.

Now is the time to look out for Christmas presents. Toilet sets, decorated cups and saucers, and a full line of vases, at Masters'.

The junction of the D., B. C. & A. and Michigan Central railroads a short distance above Wells, will be named Alger, in honor of Gen. Alger, president of the new road.

DIED.—On Wednesday, Nov. 21st, 1893, at her residence in Beaver Creek township, of congestive chills, Mrs. Lucy Bush, aged 43 years, 5 months, 2 days.

The tax roll will be in the hands of the treasurer next week. Save money by paying taxes in December, during which month the treasurer will be in his office every Friday, as required by law.

Our first list of subscribers who have paid one year in advance and will receive the American Farmer a year as a premium will be sent in the first of next week. There is room for a good many more names.

Do not forget that all of the subscribers to the AVALANCHE who pay a year's subscription in advance previous to the 1st of January will receive the American Farmer, a first-class agricultural journal, free for the year.

Prof. J. M. Wellington, of Detroit, Prof. Wesley Sears, of Mt. Clemens, and O. Palmer, of Grayling, are appointed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction as State visitors to the German-American Seminary, of Detroit.

The Bay City Tribune will give to the people of Northern Michigan all the news of the world as promptly and fully as any metropolitan papers, and farther than this it has all the local news of this part of the State, carefully gleaned from exchanges and numerous correspondents. It is ably edited, and for these and many reasons it should receive the preference of our citizens over papers published in more remote cities. The subscription price of the daily is only \$5 a year, or \$1.50 for three months. (Give it a trial.)

MARRIED.

In Beaver Creek township, on Sunday, Nov. 25, 1893, by Rev. W. H. Jones, Mr. Henry Laughlin and Miss Olive Hall.

NOTICE.

All persons removing from or cutting any timber or wood on the 24th of the month of November, 1893, a part of and adjoining the village, will be prosecuted.

PROTECTION HAS BEEN THE VERY LIFE OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

We have been asked how the tariff on lumber has benefited the farmers of Grand Traverse. It has been the very life of northern Michigan. This tariff has kept the saws of a hundred mills in Grand Traverse busy, and these mills have given employment to an army of men, who have been fed from the products of Grand Traverse farms. But more than this, hundreds of other mills down the streams have been supplied from the pine forests of northern Michigan, and for many years tens of thousands of men have been in camp, and thousands of teams employed, and all that Grand Traverse farms could raise has found a ready market at their own doors for the supply of these lumbering camps. How has the tariff benefited the farmers of Grand Traverse? Ask those farmers who, at an early day, penetrated the wilds of this and neighboring counties and their answer will be prompt and emphatic. Without money, far from the markets or the centers of trade, with no roads to reach lake ports, carving out homes in the wilderness, raising good crops in the rich soil, but crops worthless without markets; ask those farmers who, for a quarter of a century, found and are still finding ready markets at good prices at their own doors for all they raised, how they have been benefited by the lumber trade. Years ago, when every dollar counted big in the improvement and development of their farms, and the lumber camps paid them \$20 to \$30 and even more per ton for hay, taken at the barn, and every bushel of oats and wheat and everything else raised brought correspondingly good prices, the farmers of Grand Traverse reaped the benefits, and this day of benefits has not passed yet, by any means. Ask the farmers who have been able through this means to clear their places, build houses and barns, and to-day are in independent circumstances, how this trade benefited them and still benefits them, and they will tell you. Ask the business man, the merchant, the laborer, the mechanic, the professional man of Traverse City and other prosperous and growing towns of northern Michigan, how this business has benefited them and they will tell you it has made their towns and gives them their popularity.—Traverse City Herald.

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A FEW ARTICLES.

To be found at C. E. Strunk's News Depot which can be bought cheaper than at any other point on the Mackinaw Division.

Envelopes, Note Paper, Lead Pencils, Account Books, Handkerchiefs, Photograph Frames, Pictures and Picture Frames, And other articles too numerous to mention. Call and be convinced.

The St. Louis (Globe) Co. Herald thus polishes off Gov. "Bogoley's" Thanksgiving proclamation:

"Referring to Uncle Josiah's Thanksgiving Proclamation, which may be found in another column, we exhort our rural friends to heed the advice given: remember the spring floods that lasted until July and knocked seed into a cocked hat, and thank God that you were not drowned like so many rats. Then be sure to remember the blessings of the crowned year, and grow for joy. Skirmish around among the frost bitten corn fodder for a sickly mubbin that will do for next year's seed, and if you happen to find one (which you will not) then shout praises. Pros-pert-for-potatoes where erst you planted the seed with a prayer that at least the seed might be returned, and if you are not disappointed then shriek your thanks. Yes! reverently pause when the ripened fruits of your labor are gathered, and adjusting your spectacles, gaze at the pile and—holer!"

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